

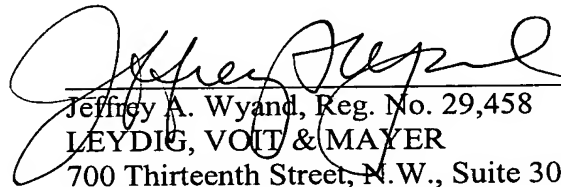
In re Appln. of Koji NII
Application No. 10/612,364

REMARKS

In response to the species election requirement mailed February 18, 2005, Applicant provisionally elects the alleged species J encompassing Figure 16. Claims 12, 13, and 16 can be read upon that figure. Claim 12 is generic to claims 13-17 so that upon allowance of that claim, claims 14, 15, and 17 should be rejoined to the prosecution pursuant to 37 CFR 1.141.

Prompt and favorable examination of the claims elected is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,


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